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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: David H. Wagner)	Confirmation No. 1193
Application No. 10/563,570)	Group Art Unit: 1641
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For:	Methods for Predicting Development of Auto-Immune Diseases and Treatment of Same)))	Date: July 23, 2007

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TRANSMITTAL FORM

- 1. Transmitted herewith is a Response to Restriction Requirement in response to the non-final Office Action June 21, 2007.
- Extension of Time: The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) apply. This request is being filed under the next business day rule on Monday, July 23, 2007 as the due date for responding fell on a weekend (Saturday, July 21, 2007). Applicant does not believe an extension of time is required. However, if Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for an extension of time, please consider this a petition therefore. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-0310.
- 3. Additional Papers Submitted:
 - (i) Information Disclosure Statement
 - (ii) Form PTO-1449
 - (iii) Copy of Supplementary Partial European Search Report (EP 04777635)
 - (iv) Copy of nine documents
- 4. <u>Constructive Petition</u>: **Except** for issue fees payable under 37 C.F.R. 1.18, the Commissioner is hereby authorized by this paper to charge any additional fees during the entire pendency of this application including fees due under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, including any required extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment

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to Deposit Account 50-0310. This paragraph is intended to be a constructive petition for extension of time in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3).

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